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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Arthur T. SANDS et al.

Application No.: 09/639,453

Filed: August 15, 2000

For: AN INDEXED LIBRARY OF CELLS
CONTAINING GENOMIC
MODIFICATIONS AND METHODS OF
MAKING AND UTILIZING THE SAME

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) **Confirmation No. 3310**
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) Group Art Unit: 1636
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) Examiner: Ramin Akhavan

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Applicants now respond to the Office Action mailed March 10, 2004. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of all outstanding rejections.

Please amend the application as follows.